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Applicant : Ritzdorf et al.
Application No. : 09/885,451 Confirmation No.: 3390
Filed : June 20, 2001
For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LOW-TEMPERATURE
ANNEALING OF METALLIZATION MICRO-STRUCTURES IN
THE PRODUCTION OF A MICROELECTRONIC DEVICE

Art Unit : 1741
Docket No. : 291958170US02
Date : February 13, 2002

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant herewith petition the Commissioner of Patents under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for a four-month extension of time for filing the response to Notice to File Missing Parts, dated August 13, 2001. A check in the amount of \$1,440 is enclosed. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0665. This petition is being submitted in triplicate.

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